

27730-Response Letter

Dear Xue-Mei Gong and reviewers,

Thank you for your thorough review of our manuscript and for the comments.

We have reviewed each comment and suggested amendments and our responses are outlined below.

General Comments:

Reviewer 1:

Comment: “overall, this is a useful review. It reminded our medical members to adhere to up fundamental principles.”

Response: No response required

Comment: Minor language polishing required

Response: Manuscript reviewed and amended to ensure that syntax and punctuation regarding reference numbers was corrected

Reviewer 2:

Comment: “This is a well-written manuscript. Some minor revision is needed before publication.”

Response: Manuscript reviewed and amended to ensure that references were correctly annotated and grammar/syntax corrected

Comments In Text Article:

Comment: “Please provide the post code”.

Response: Address amended with postcode attached

Comment: “Please add PubMed citation numbers and DOI citation to the reference list”.

Response: PMID numbers and DOI attached to each reference, when available using Crossref.org